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SIX BANDITS ROB SANTA FE TRAIN

BANDITS HELD UP SANTA FE TRAIN NUMBER FIVE EARLY THIS MORNING.

TRAIN CARRIED GOLD ALSO GERMAN BELIEF

Robbers Overlooked Safe in E. Car Carrying Large Amount of Gold — Express Messenger Shot to Death By the Robbers.

Bliss, Okla., Oct. 19.—Several false leads and clues were run to ground today by the posse searching for the six bandits who last night held up and robbed Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe train No. 405.

One report said that part of the outlaw band had made its escape into the Osage country. The sheriff of Kay county with his deputies were working southeast of the Osage country, while officers from Lincoln and Noble counties were searching the country to the northwest in an effort to capture the men.

It was reliably reported that there was an extra safe in the express car, in which a large amount of gold and silver coin was concealed. The bandits apparently not seeing this safe, blew open one which contained nothing.

According to local officials, part of the outlaw band made its way into the Osage hills in an automobile, while the remainder rode away on horses.

Express Messenger Killed.

Oklahoma City, Okla., Oct. 19.—Local Wells Fargo officials said today that no loot was secured by the bandits who held up the Santa Fe train near Bliss last night. The robbers blew a safe in the express car, but got nothing. Perry Norman, express messenger, was shot and killed by the bandits.

CUNARD LINE LOSES VESSEL, MINE VICTIM

ALAUNIA SUNK IN ENGLISH CHANNEL BETWEEN FALMOUTH AND LONDON EARLY TODAY. ALL PASSENGERS LANDED.

New York, Oct. 19.—The Cunard liner Alaunia was sunk by a mine in the English Channel between Falmouth and London, according to cable advices today. The Alaunia called at Falmouth Tuesday and was en route to London when she struck a mine some time this morning.

The Cunard officials believe that all passengers were landed at Falmouth, according to custom. Captain Benison and some of the crew were saved, the message said, but some are missing.

REACHES CHICAGO LATE.

Demonstrations in Middle West Cause Wilson to Reach Destination Late.

Chicago, Ill., Oct. 19.—President Wilson arrived here today, one hour late, due to the prolonged demonstrations in the middle west.

The president makes three speeches there today.

If Greece has learned anything about Mexico's revolution, one can hardly blame her for preparing for war.—Philadelphia North American.

WEATHER FORECAST

New Orleans, La., Oct. 19.—The weather forecast for Oklahoma for tonight is fair and colder with freezing temperature. Friday fair and warmer in western Oklahoma.

WAR WILL LAST ANOTHER YEAR

BRITISH LEADERS PREDICT THAT GREAT WAR WILL CONTINUE FOR ANOTHER YEAR.

ALSO GERMAN BELIEF

All Believe That War Has Now Entered Stage Where No Compromise Is Expected and Where Victory Will Go to the Side with the Ability to Stick the Longest.

British Fro. France, Oct. 19.—(Copyrighted by Associated Press).—The war will last another year, according to the consensus of opinion among British soldiers and leaders. This is also the view of the Germans, if the views of the German prisoners count for anything.

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N. Y. HERALD SAYS WILSON IS LEADING

REPUBLICAN ORGANS CONCEDE PRESIDENT IS GROWING IN STRENGTH.

New York, Oct. 18.—President Wilson's reelection by a large majority is again foreshadowed by result of the New York Herald poll. The Herald is one of the strongest newspapers supporting Hughes.

Straw Vote Test.

With 107,403 straw votes as a basis the states which the Herald puts in the Wilson column have 312 electoral votes, of which 266 will elect. The Herald says the Republicans seem to be at a standstill, while the Democrats are forging ahead. The Herald declares that New York, Illinois, Ohio and Indiana will decide the election, and admits that Hughes' possible plurality in Ohio is under 10,000 while Wilson is leading in New York.

Republicans Worried.

A special dispatch from Boston in the Herald today says "Wilson sentiment is growing alarmingly."

The Telegram, evening edition of the Herald, probably the most rabid anti-Wilson organ in New York, today says under the heading "Campaign Slump Worries Leaders of Republicans," that fear of the loss of the labor vote had added to other causes of apprehension among the Republicans and that with the presidential election less than four weeks off, Republican managers admit that the campaign, so far as the Republican party is concerned, "has struck a slump."

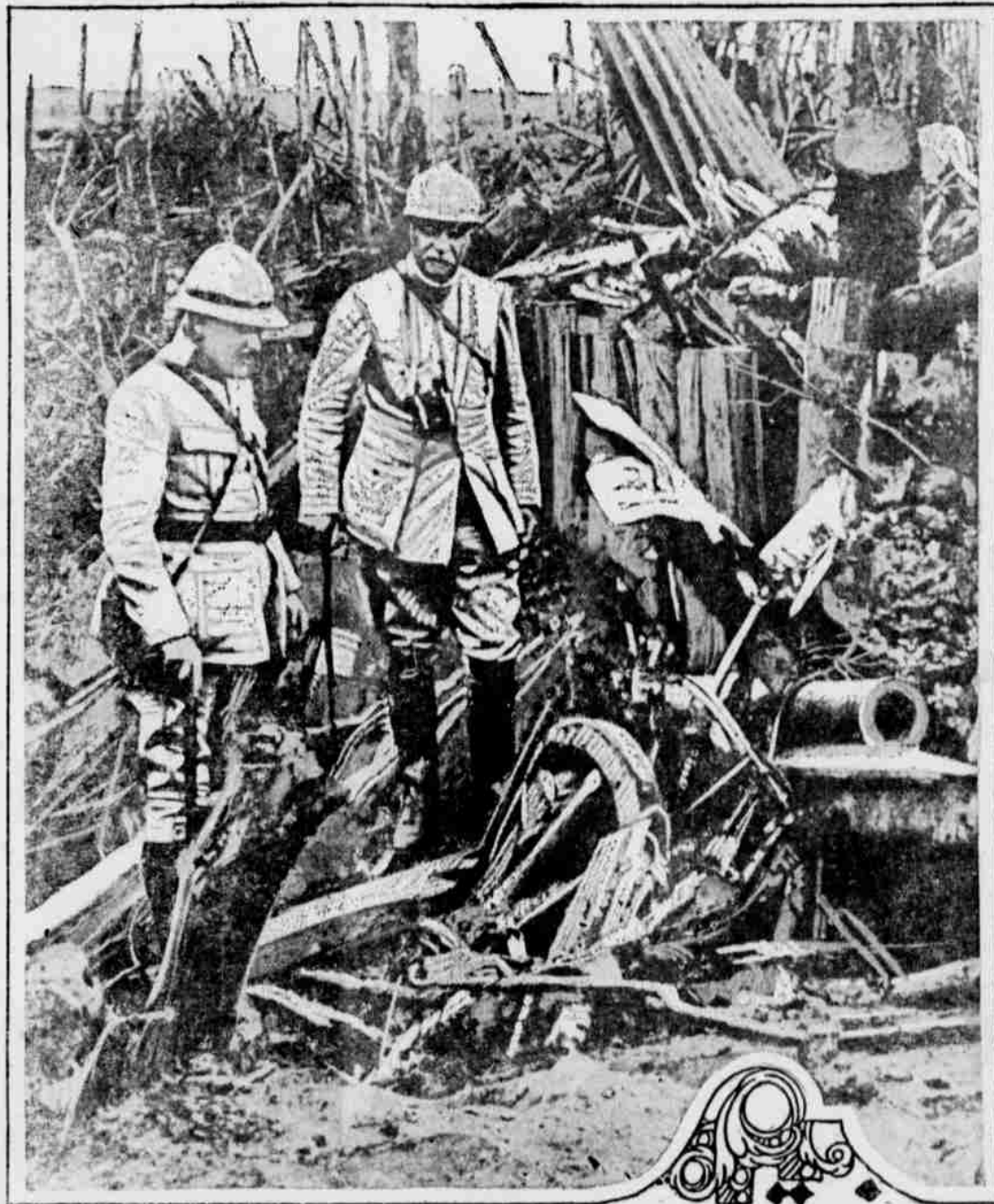
GERMANS CONCEDE LOSS OF BREMEN

SUBMARINE MERCHANTMAN NOW MONTH OVERDUE AND TEUTONIC DIPLOMATS ARE READY TO CONCEDE LOSS.

Washington, Oct. 19.—The loss of the German submarine merchantman Bremen is virtually conceded by ranking German diplomats, who are in a position to be familiar with the vessel's movements.

The Bremen is now one month overdue.

FRENCH GENERAL VISITS CAPTURED TRENCH, SEES EFFECT OF CONCENTRATED ARTILLERY FIRE



GEN. FAYOLLE VISITS SMASHED GERMAN TRENCHES ON SOMME FRONT

Smashing of the German trenches by the allies' artillery, referred to frequently in recent dispatches from the Somme front, is shown graphically in the accompanying picture, which depicts General Fayolle of the French army visiting a captured German trench. Allies' supporters say that the French and English now have an incontestable superiority over the Germans in the matter of artillery, although this is not admitted by the Germans. One enthusiastic Briton asserted a few days ago that the allies could fire 100 shells to the Germans' one, but he exaggerated the facts.

DEATH OF A PROMINENT LUMBER MAN

WELL KNOWN CITIZEN OF NORTH TEXAS PASSES AWAY AFTER A LINGERING ILLNESS. HAD INTERESTS IN THIS CITY.

News reached the Leeper Bros lumber offices here yesterday evening of the death of Cyrus S. Leeper, which occurred yesterday at El Paso. Mr. Leeper is well known in North Texas and in Oklahoma. He was a member of the constitutional convention from the town of Sulphur. For two years he has been in a sanitarium at El Paso. His wife and two daughters were with him. He is also survived by two brothers—J. D. Leeper of Gainesville and Graves Leeper of Ardmore and Oklahoma City. The deceased had many old time friends in this city who will seriously regret his death.

CONTINUE McDANIEL CASE.

Continuance Until Monday Granted Prosecutor Charged With Murder.

St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 19.—Judge Ryan in the criminal court today granted a continuance until Monday in the case of Oscar D. McDaniel, who is charged with the murder of his wife.

Now turn to the want ads.

FIRST NAT'L OF CENTRALIA IS LOOTED

FOUR MEN FORCE OFFICERS TO LIE ON FLOOR WHILE THEY ROB THE BANK.

Centralia, Okla., Oct. 19.—Four bandits, one of them with his face blackened, held up and robbed the First National bank of Centralia Wednesday noon, of approximately \$5,000, and with a companion escaped in an automobile in which they had entered town.

Two of the three men who entered the bank building were armed with revolvers and the third carried a rifle. The man armed with the rifle stood guard near the door while two went behind the counter. The fourth man remained in the automobile in front of the bank and kept the automobile engine going.

When the bank had been stripped of its funds the robbers stood at the feet of the men on the floor and compelled them to rise and march into the bank vault without looking back.

After the six men had been marched into the vault the door was closed and the dial handle turned. The three robbers then left the bank building, jumped into the waiting automobile and left town, going west in the direction from which they had come.

Clerk Released Prisoners. While the robbery was in progress

a store clerk across the street suspected that the bank was being robbed, and after the robbers had jumped into the automobile his suspicions were confirmed. He went into the bank building after the robbers had disappeared and released the six imprisoned men. The six men were in the vault ten minutes.

A posse was organized and tracked the bandit twelve miles. The trail became lost and the chase abandoned. Officers in northeastern Oklahoma, in southwestern Missouri and Kansas were notified to be on the lookout for the bandits.

On account of being taken by surprise and compelled to lay face downward on the floor, neither the bank officials nor the customers secured a good description of the robbers. It is believed they were young white men.

Centralia has a population of about 500 and is in Craig county in the northeastern part of Oklahoma. The bank is insured against its loss.

Ruby, Okla., Oct. 19.—Four persons in automobile, three apparently wearing women's clothing and a fourth with some kind of black material partially rubbed from his face, passed through here Wednesday afternoon in an automobile shortly after the First National bank at Centralia was robbed. The automobile was traveling at a high rate of speed.

SNOW IN KANSAS TODAY.

Freezing Weather Predicted for South for Tonight.

Topeka, Kan., Oct. 19.—Snow was general in portions of Kansas today and freezing weather is predicted for tonight.

Thousands of voters seem unable to make up their minds which candidate to vote against.—Philadelphia North American.

RECOVERS FROM THE STORM

TWO DEATHS AND MARINE LOSS OF ONE HUNDRED THOUSAND DOLLARS REPORTED.

STORM LOSING FORCE

Weather Bureau Reports Storm Moving Northward to Indiana With Decreased Intensity — Storm Warnings Ordered for Atlantic Coast.

Mobile, Ala., Oct. 19.—Southern Alabama and western Florida are recovering today from a hurricane, which swept across the coast country yesterday, causing two deaths and property and marine loss estimated at one hundred thousand dollars. The principal loss was in Mobile and Pensacola.

Storm Passing Inland.

Washington, Oct. 19.—The tropical storm which passed inland yesterday from the Gulf of Mexico, has moved northward to Indiana with decreased intensity. Weather bureau reports indicated that it would move rapidly northeastward and would again increase in violence. Storm warnings have been ordered for the Atlantic coast.

EARTHQUAKE SHAKES UP ATLANTA, GA.

SEVERAL OTHER SOUTHERN CITIES ALARMED WHEN SHOCK IS FELT.

Atlanta, Oct. 19.—A distinct earthquake shock that, in some instances, knocked small articles off shelves, was felt in and around Atlanta a few minutes after 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

Reports reaching here early last night show that an earthquake felt in Atlanta at 4 o'clock was felt generally throughout the southeast. Overturned chimneys were reported from some districts but there was no news of serious damage anywhere.

Birmingham Excited.

Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 19.—The Birmingham district felt a severe earthquake at 4 o'clock yesterday. Many chimneys were knocked down. Office buildings were rocked and thousands poured from their doors after the shock.

Chattanooga Scared.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Oct. 19.—A distinct shock lasting about four or five seconds was felt in the Chattanooga district yesterday shortly after 4 o'clock. One woman was almost thrown out of her chair by the tremor, it was reported.

Nashville Trembled.

Nashville, Tenn., Oct. 19.—A slight earthquake was felt here shortly after 4 o'clock yesterday. No damage reported.

Overflow Cause of Silt.

The sum of \$40,000 is asked by M. E. Cleveland of Crusher, Okla., for the death of his wife, in a petition filed in the district court yesterday afternoon against the Santa Fe Railway company.

Mrs. Cleveland was drowned in January of this year when a stream near their house overflowed, washing the house down the creek, according to the petition. Cleveland alleges the overflow of the stream was due to the negligence of the railway company because its bridge over the creek was not secure.

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